

JUST GOSSIP ABOUT PEOPLE

The Treble Clef Club Will Give Concert for Benefit of United Service Club on January 30 in Bellevue-Stratford—Nancy Wynne Has Tale to Tell

THE United Service Club, at one time the Children's Hospital at 207 South Twenty-second street, but now the temporary home for sailors and soldiers, has been selected as the sole beneficiary of the large concert to be given by the Treble Clef Club in the ballroom of the Bellevue-Stratford on the evening of January 30.

Many members of this club, which is the oldest woman's musical organization in the city, are also on the board of the United Service Club, and are familiar with the vast amount of good that is being done by this latter organization, as well as aware of the fact that much of the current expenses must be met by voluntary contribution. Open at all hours not only for enlisted men but for their mothers, wives, sisters and relatives, an ideal home is being run by a board of managers with a capacity that housed 4500 men during the recent holiday week. Here can be found a poolroom, restaurant, barber shop, baths, roof garden, boxing ring, billiard room, and all other modern club facilities. Amusement is provided for every evening, while the public at large is invited to attend the informal Sunday afternoon at home.

It is to carry on this work that the Treble Clef Club is planning a concert which from a musical viewpoint is to equal anything before given by this famous organization. Under the musical direction of Max Karl Scheider, with Mr. Ellis Clark Hamman as the accompanist, the individual artists will be Madame Adela Boune Kichy and Mr. Harry Saylor, while the Treble Clef will render several selections. Between the first and second part of the concert will be an intermission of fifteen minutes, when music will be furnished by the sailors' band from one of the battleships.

ELIZEN MARY CASSATT is to preside at a special meeting of the Girl Scouts to be held Monday night in Court No. 5, City Hall.

After delivering an address, Mrs. J. Willis Martin will present merit stripes to the Scouts who have secured thirty or more new members to the Girl Scouts.

Representatives from the various troops throughout the city will be present, while among the captains who will assist in presiding will be Mary Packard, Gwen Martin, Harriet Deaver, Mrs. Radcliffe Cheston, who was Sydney Ellis, you remember; Eugenia Cassatt and Mrs. John White Geary, Jr., the latter was Elizabeth Wister.

SHE was only two and very good, one of those lovely, dimpled babies, and just as cunning as she could be. They had had company the night before and Baby, who was supposed to be sound asleep, had evidently watched "Father" on his various trips back to the kitchen for sundry objects, which were in a case under the refrigerator. Well, and why shouldn't he? Of course, why certainly. Anyhow, be that as it may, next afternoon the revered clergyman, friend of the family, a strict white ribboner, arrived to pay his respects to Baby's mother and father before going away. "Father" was out, but the rest of the family greeted him with evident pleasure and satisfaction, as he was highly thought of in that domain. By and by Baby ran out of the room and down the corridor of the apartment. The conversation went on; in fact, there was simply a subconscious knowledge that Baby had left, for the minister was in the middle of a good story and Baby's mother was politely listening. Then she heard Baby coming along the hall banging something along the floor. Of course, the darling had gone to get her doll to show the minister, so with pride in her tone she called, "Come in, dearie, and show Mr. — the dolls Santa brought you." In came Baby (who is built much like her father; she even walks like him) and in each tiny hand was clasped a large and juicy berry bottle.

NANCY WYNNE.

MISS BERTHA MARKS, daughter of Mrs. Eva Marks, of Wilmington, formerly of this city, whose marriage to Mr. J. L. Cohen, of this city, will take place on Sunday evening at the New Traymore Hall, Franklin street and Columbia avenue.

entertained at dinner, followed by a skating party, last evening at the Merion Cricket Club. This in honor of Miss Mary Stout, daughter of Dr. George C. Stout, and Mrs. Stout, of Berwyn.

Mrs. H. Ashton Little, of Stratford, gave an informal buffet supper and dance last evening in honor of Miss Nancy Little. The guests were from the school set.

Ensign William C. Wright, U. S. N., and Mrs. Wright returned to Newport on Wednesday after spending New Year's with Mr. Wright's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Townsend Wright, at St. Davids.

Mrs. Herbert T. Hartman will entertain the Philadelphia Chapter of the United Daughters of the Confederacy, at her home in St. Davids, on Wednesday afternoon, in honor of the eighty-sixth birthday anniversary of her mother, Mrs. Lee.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Maybin Hart, of Villanova, returned Tuesday evening from a week's stay in Baltimore.

Miss Melba was the guest of honor at a dinner last evening given by Mr. and Mrs. N. Scammon-Jones at their residence, 112 South Twenty-second street. Among the guests were Lady Susan Fitz Clarence, daughter of the Earl of Hardwick; Miss Stella Powell, Mr. Francis de Bourguignon, Mr. Frank St. Ledger and Mr. Howard Shelby.

Mrs. R. F. Haddock, of New York, will be this week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. G. Heide Norris, of 2104 Locust street. Mr. and Mrs. Norris will have Mrs. William Swords, of 6 Madison avenue, New York, as their guest next week-end.

Miss Florence Croger Knowles, of 1628 Spruce street, will leave on Friday for Baltimore, where she will be the guest of Miss Mabel Warner.

The Rev. Caleb Cresson and Mrs. Cresson, of the Rectory, Oaks, Pa., are receiving congratulations upon the birth of a daughter, Helen, born New Year's Eve at Wilson Farm, Pa., the residence of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Colket Wilson.

Mrs. Juliette Desbarats has left for her home in Montreal. Mrs. Desbarats has been visiting her sister, Mrs. John I. Rogers, of 2201 St. James place.

Miss Marie Louise Starr, of 117 South Seventeenth street, who has been spending the holidays with Mrs. Charles Roubert and Miss Bullitt, of Louisville, is expected home very shortly.

Ensign James H. Juvenal has been spending the holidays with his family at their home in the Girard estate. Ensign Juvenal is physical director and instructor in rowing at Wissahickon Barracks, Cape May.

Mr. Wallace Carson, of Camden, has returned to State College after spending the vacation with his parents. Owing to the war, State College will close its second semester in April.

Mrs. L. J. McGarry and her niece, Mrs. P. X. Myers, of 5241 Brown street, West Philadelphia, are in Augusta, Ga., visiting Mrs. Myers' husband, Corporal Frank X. Myers, Company D, 109th Infantry, and Mrs. H. J. McGarry's two sons, Mr. Frank McGarry and Mr. Henry McGarry, now stationed at Camp Hancock.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Freeman, of 1526 North Broad street, announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Florence Cornelia Freeman, to Mr. Russell C. Lees, of 1740 Diamond street.

NAVY AUXILIARY OF RED CROSS FORMED

Women of Navy Yard Organize Work for Comfort and Amusement of Sailors and Marines

The Navy Auxiliary of the Red Cross was organized last week. The wives of naval officers, reserve officers and enlisted men, together with their relatives and friends, have been invited to join this auxiliary. The work to be a very vital need at the present time, namely, a systematic and thoroughly organized means of caring for the sailors and marines. Any one member of the Red Cross is eligible for membership in the Navy Auxiliary, which is a branch of the Red Cross. The auxiliary will be organized in a room at the Navy Yard, which will be used for the very purpose of providing for the comfort and amusement of the sailors and marines. The auxiliary is just organizing, there will be a meeting of the committee every morning at 11 o'clock, on the eighth street, to plan the work more thoroughly and enlist as many volunteers as possible. It is to be hoped that, despite the many demands on one's time, there will still be a little left to devote to the boys at sea.

At the first meeting, which was held last week at the United States Naval Home, Twenty-first street and Grays Ferry road, Mrs. P. B. Griffin, wife of Commodore Griffin, U. S. N., in charge of the home, was elected chairman. Mrs. George Cooper, wife of Captain George Cooper, U. S. N., in charge of the Fourth Naval District, was elected vice chairman. Mrs. Eugene D. Ryan, wife of Paymaster Ryan, U. S. N., of the local yard, was placed in charge of the hospital committee. Mrs. Frank Anderson, wife of Medical Director Anderson, head of the First Red Cross Base Hospital of Philadelphia, was made recording secretary, and Mrs. Clarence A. Carr, wife of Captain Carr, of the Philadelphia yard, was elected treasurer.

The auxiliary will get its first real boost on Thursday afternoon, when Mrs. Eugene D. Ryan will give a large and interesting party, the proceeds of which will start the fund. About ten women have consented to take tables and many informal luncheons will precede the party. Mrs. Carr will entertain the guests at luncheon and Mrs. Raymond S. Keyes will entertain Mrs. Henry E. Page. Among the women who have identified themselves are: Mrs. Walter T. Walker, Mrs. William M. Cross, Mrs. Raymond S. Keyes, Mrs. Ernest Brown, Mrs. Edwin L. Cochran, Mrs. James P. Helm, Mrs. John H. Higgins, Mrs. Curtis H. Dikins, Mrs. T. H. Winters, Mrs. Frederick Colburn, Mrs. I. Schute, Mrs. Steele, Mrs. Charles T. Blackburn, Mrs. R. A. Strahl, Mrs. James T. Alexander, Mrs. E. R. Rainin, Mrs. Robert L. Denny, Mrs. Charles A. E. King, Mrs. Dolly Smith, Mrs. Franklin Steele, Mrs. Henry H. Porter, Mrs. Albert E. Haines, Mrs. Charles Bean, Mrs. W. E. Treidel, Mrs. J. A. Roswell, Mrs. Earle E. Wright, Mrs. A. R. Court, Mrs. Ben Fuller, Mrs. M. H. Goss, Mrs. J. H. Towns and Mrs. David Wright. Mrs. John R. Higgins, wife of Colonel Higgins, U. S. A., will entertain informally on Monday afternoon at her home in the Rowley Apartments, 623 Walnut street. Her guests will include Mrs. Theodore H. Winters, Mrs. James P. Helm, Mrs. Raymond S. Keyes, Mrs. William I. Scott, Mrs. Richard C. Meyers, Mrs. J. Farrell, Mrs. Haysinger and Mrs. Smith.

Mrs. Frederick Colburn has issued invitations for an informal card party to be given at her home in Merion on the fifteenth. Among the guests invited are Mrs. Lillian W. T. Waller, Mrs. William M. Cross, Mrs. George A. V. om, Mrs. E. J. Estess, Mrs. Henry H. Porter, Mrs. Albert E. Haines, Mrs. W. T. Frielell, Mrs. Raymond S. Keyes, Mrs. A. R. Court, Mrs. Eugene D. Ryan, Mrs. J. A. Roswell, Mrs. J. Collins, Mrs. Borden, Mrs. Clarence A. Carr and Mrs. Earle E. Wright.

A party was given by Mrs. Hollingsworth Andrews, wife of Doctor Andrews, U. S. N., at her home, 2518 South Twenty-second street, on Thursday afternoon. After luncheon the guests all knitted, while Mrs. Andrews entertained most delightfully, reading memoirs of an interesting ancestor. Among the guests were Mrs. George B. Beneville, Mrs. J. Jackson, Mrs. J. Leodson, Mrs. Dixon Andrews, Mrs. Roscoe Davis, Mrs. Raymond S. Keyes, Mrs. L. W. T. Waller and Mrs. L. Magill.

Mrs. David English, fullan, of Wissahickon avenue and Shafton street, Germantown, will be at home Thursday afternoon in January after 2 o'clock. No cards have been sent out.

Mr. and Mrs. William W. Morley, 8212 St. Martin's lane, Chestnut Hill, will be at home tomorrow.

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WINTRY "SPRING" MUSIC
Stokowski Plays Schumann in Frigid Air, Nicholas Douty the Soloist

Schumann's exquisitely poetic and opulently tuneful "Spring" symphony was the major instrumental offering at yesterday afternoon's concert of the Philadelphia Orchestra in the Academy of Music. The contrast between the warm, joyous musical content of this romantic work and the bleak, frigid atmosphere of the auditorium was rather pathetically obvious. The orchestra was hard to establish in such weather, and this difficulty may have been partly responsible for the somewhat ragged and uncertain performance which Mr. Stokowski's men gave of the masterpiece.

There was a marked absence of mellowness in the horn passages which so vitally contribute to the rich beauty of the opening movement. The flute lacked something of the requisite soft delicacy, and once an absolute slip in tempo on the part of the woodwinds was apparent. Mr. Stokowski reads this lovely work with keen appreciation of its charm. The defects in yesterday's performance were attributable to his instrumentalists and unrelated to the spirit in which his presentation was keyed. With the advantage of the Friday rehearsal, a smoother rendition should be given tonight.

Nicholas Douty, the tenor soloist, revealed his familiar equipment. His grasp of the oratorical manner was displayed in a recitative and aria from "Leporello" in a most delightful English diction was, as ever, a sheer delight. His three modern offerings, however, had decidedly more intimate and touching appeal. These numbers were Eugene's musical setting of Baudelaire's haughty and hauntingly mellifluous "Invitation au Voyage," one of the acknowledged masterpieces of French verse; Debussy's highly characteristic "L'Inferno," and a poem by Paul Rouget, and the dainty dawn song from Lalo's neglected Breton opera, "Le Roi d'Ys."

A showy and familiar but interesting feature of the bill was Saint-Saens' "Tannhauser," played with graphic authority. Other offerings were the "Maggio Fido" and "Tannhauser" overtures. The latter was the first Wagnerian selection to be played in the Academy since Margaret Matze, last October of the current season. It was given with superb effect, whetting the appetite for a more generous representation of the Bayreuth master than this war period has brought forward. It is hinted that ridiculous protests are growing against the proposed all-Wagnerian program. Surely this is the height of the absurd! The works of Mozart, who trucked to royalty all his life, provoke no bigoted comment. Why, then, should this be the reward for many years on the tyrannical land of his birth? H. T. C.



MRS. TRENCHARD NEWBOLD AND MRS. B. DOBSON ALTEMUS
Mrs. Newbold is chairman of soldiers and sailors' home service bureau of overseas committee of Emergency Aid and Mrs. Altemus chairman of ways and means committee of Emergency Aid. Both Mrs. Newbold and Mrs. Altemus took an active part in arranging for the lecture given on Thursday at the Academy of Music by Captain David Fallon, when 25 per cent of the proceeds was devoted to this committee.

DATES FOR AT HOMES ARE ANNOUNCED

Few Cards are Issued, but Many Will Receive Informally During Month of January

Very few cards for at homes have been sent out, but a number of homes receive informally through January. Mrs. Samuel Price Weatherill, of 251 South Eighteenth street, will be at home on Wednesday in January after 2 o'clock.

Mrs. E. Payson Carpenter will be at home informally on Friday afternoon at her home, 717 South Twenty-second street. No cards have been sent out.

Mrs. Alan Hartwell Strong, Twenty-first and De Laury streets, will be at home Thursday in January, from 4 until 6 o'clock. No cards have been sent out.

Bishop Thomas J. Garland and Mrs. Garland, of Chew and Sedgwick streets, Mount Airy, will give the first of their informal at homes on Thursday afternoon, January 10, from 4 until 6 o'clock.

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Member of Signal Corps Injured Trying to Avoid Collision With Officer's Horse

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The purpose of the meeting, as announced by Miss Belle Sherwin, chairman of the defense council committee, was "to secure the selective service of the college women of this State in the work of patriotic education and other wartime committee work requiring trained women."

Other speakers were Mrs. Lois K. Matthews, dean of women of the University of Wisconsin and president of the Association of the Collegiate Alumnae, and Mrs. Gertrude S. Martin, former dean of women of Cornell University and executive secretary of the association.

The program called for a college rally at 11 a. m. at the Chittenden Hotel, luncheon at 11:30 a. m. at the hotel, and meeting at 1 p. m. in the Chamber of Commerce.

MISS REBECCA STYLES
Of Palmyra, N. J., whose engagement to Mr. F. Bennett Longfield, of Philadelphia, was announced last week.

ANNUAL MEETING OF WOMAN'S TEMPLE UNIVERSITY AUXILIARY, HAVING OUTGROWN FORMER HEADQUARTERS, WILL MEET IN LITTLE THEATRE ON THURSDAY

Former Headquarters, Will Meet in Little Theatre on Thursday

FOR a number of years a group of representative Philadelphia women did splendid thronging work for the Temple University Auxiliary. A year ago they decided to combine literary, social, civic and scientific activities with the charitable work they have progressed into a club with more than double membership as an auxiliary. They joined the State Federation of Women's Clubs, and have outgrown their headquarters in the building of the Temple University Music School. It will meet in the future in the Little Theatre, where on Thursday, January 10, at noon, their annual meeting will be held.

Excellent speakers have been secured for this occasion, and they will make addresses on subjects of current interest. They are Mrs. Ronald P. Gleason, of Scranton, president of the State Federation of Women's Clubs, who will speak on "Achievements and Attainments of Women"; and Mr. Charles E. Beury, a trustee of Temple University, whose talk will be on "A 16,000-Mile Trip Through Russia and Siberia." Mr. Beury has just returned from this trip. Dr. Alviner Krusen will preside and introduce the speakers. The annual luncheon of the club will take place at 1 o'clock in the former clubrooms, 221 South Seventeenth street.

Owing to wartime the club women have themselves prepared the luncheon, which will be as dainty and appetizing as any luncheon ever served in the club. Mrs. Walter C. Hancock, the president of the organization, will preside. The other officers include Mrs. Walter B. Shuman, Mrs. Charles Stuart Barnes, vice president, Mrs. John H. K. Scott, treasurer; Mrs. Gustav Ketterer, recording secretary, and Mrs. Thaddeus Rich, corresponding secretary.

While the club was merely an auxiliary of the State Federation of Women's Clubs, the Philadelphia Indoor Show was a benefit for the Samaritan and Garrison Hospitals, the official hospitals of the Temple University, and four other hospitals were aided by the beneficiaries. Thousands of dollars were cleared each year by this affair alone.

An active Red Cross auxiliary was formed under the auspices of the club. It meets at the Temple Law School building, at Sixteenth and Sanson streets, and also has a work room in the main building of the university. The chairman is the dean of the university, Dr. Laura Carnell. Mrs. Alviner Krusen is vice chairman, and Mrs. Robert C. Parrish is in charge of the work. The Red Cross auxiliary has been doing such wonderful work for the welfare of humanity, no one need be discouraged.

INTERESTING WEDDING TODAY AT NINE O'CLOCK

Miss Ann Elizabeth Harrison Married to Mr. Charles Roger Lucey This Morning

An interesting wedding took place this morning when Miss A. Elizabeth Harrison, daughter of Mrs. Ambrose I. Harrison, of 462 Walnut street, became the bride of Mr. Charles Roger Lucey, also of this city.

The marriage was solemnized in the church of St. Francis de Sales at 9 o'clock. The bride was escorted by her father, Mr. Ambrose I. Harrison. The bride wore a gown of white satin and silver embroidered with seed pearls, and her veil and train were of tulle. She carried a shower bouquet of orchids and lilies, and a basket of flowers. Her groom wore a combination of blue and silver, with a white waistcoat and a large brown tulle hat. Miss Harrison carried an arm bouquet of sweet peas.

Mr. Lucey had as his best man Mr. Alfred Berry, of Sharon Hill.

After the ceremony a small breakfast was served at the Bellevue-Stratford to the members of the immediate families.

CONGONIA LOUGHRAN
The marriage of Miss B. Agnes Loughran, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Loughran, and Mr. Walter H. Congdon was solemnized at the Church of Our Lady of Mercy on Thursday at noon.

The ceremony was performed by Monsignor Gerald Conlan, assisted by the Rev. Michael A. Bennett, a cousin of the bride.

Miss Congdon had as her best man Dr. Hubert L. King, of Washington, D. C.

A breakfast for the family and immediate friends followed the ceremony at the home of the bride, 2238 North Broad street.

Mr. and Mrs. Congdon then left for an extended wedding trip through the South.

BETWELER—MOTT
BURLINGTON, N. J.—One of the war brides of the week was Miss Gertrude Mott, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Mott, of Union street, who became the bride of Major William Detwiler, of Columbia, Pa., at St. Mary's Church on Wednesday evening, at 6 o'clock. The Rev. Charles S. Lewis, rector of St. Mary's Church, performed the ceremony.

The ceremony was followed by a reception at the home of the bride's parents.

Major and Mrs. Detwiler left on a short wedding trip, and on their return will leave for Camp Hancock, Atlanta, Ga.

Major Detwiler was a former Mayor of Columbia, and at the time the National Guard was Federalized was a captain in the guard, having since been advanced to major. The bride made her debut two years ago. She was a graduate of St. Mary's Hall.

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"BOBBIE" ENROLLS MEMBERS IN RED CROSS

Membership Quota of Nine Thousand Exceeded in Towns of Burlington County, N. J.

EDGEMONT PARK—The Christmas Red Cross membership for the Beverly and Edgewater Park branch was closed on New Year's day. During the drive 400 members were added to the list.

A unique feature of this drive was the joining of the Red Cross by "Bobbie" Smith, a handsome English poodle owned by Mrs. C. Shillard-Smith, of Philadelphia. Her owner's country home at Edgewater Park, "Bobbie" is one of the best-known dogs in this section of Burlington County, and a great favorite of the "Bobbie" membership group. The list of fifty members, for Edgewater Park.

From the reports coming in to the chairman, Mr. William Slaughter, Burlington County made a liberal response to the campaign for new members. A goal of 9,000 members was set, and from the latest figures there are nearly 11,000 enrolled. The reports from the various towns are as follows: Moorestown, 2,929; Colts Neck, 1,200; 241; Pemberton, 130; Mount Holly, 1,276; Medford, 169; Marlton, 150; Indian Mills, 40; Vineland, 5; Wrightstown, 40; Burlington, 40; Burlington Heights, 40; Bordentown, 750; Edgewater Park, 50; Roeboling, 1,044; Riverside, 1,261; Riverton, 311; Palmyra, 178, and Phoenix, 243.

Miss Mary Nottch has returned to Miss Hill's school, at Mount Airy, Pa., after a most enjoyable Christmas holidays at her home, the Shadow Pines.

Mr. and Mrs. John H. Terry and Miss Elizabeth Terry have closed their home on Park lane and are now at 1433 Locust street.

Mrs. Helen N. Crosswell and Miss M. I. H. Crosswell have closed their home on the Delaware and will go to Augusta, Ga., for the remainder of the winter.

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Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Ivis announces the marriage of their daughter, Miss Esther Ivis, to Mr. Carlton A. Downs, of Camden. Friends of Mrs. James P. Roney will be glad to know that she is convalescing from her recent illness.

Mrs. Lydia Williams has returned from Jersey City, where she spent the Christmas holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. John Briggs have returned to Philadelphia after spending the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Fisher.